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Applicant(s) requests continued examination of the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.114. **(RCE Form – in duplicate, 4 pgs.)**

☒ **Submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (*check at least one of the following*):**

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 - ☐ Applicant(s) requests nonentry of any previously-filed unentered amendments.
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Applicant(s) hereby request suspension of action on the above-identified application under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; requires Processing Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i)).

☐ Small Entity Status:

- ☐ Applicant hereby asserts entitlement to claim small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☐ A small entity statement or assertion of entitlement to claim small entity status was filed in prior application no._____/_____ and such status is still proper and desired.
- ☐ Is no longer desired.

☒ Applicant(s) calculate the following fees to be due in connection with this Request:

- ☒ A Request fee of $790.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e).
- ☐ A suspension processing fee of $_____ under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i).
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- ☒ **The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925 (BRINKS HOFER GILSON & LIONE). A copy of this Request is enclosed for this purpose.**

Respectfully submitted,

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